

GLOSSARY

Acronym	Definition
AAMVA	American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators
AFIS	Automated Fingerprint Identification System
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
API	Application Program Interface
ASCII	American Standard Code for Information Interchange
ATN	Arrest Tracking Number
BCA	Bureau of Criminal Apprehension (Minnesota)
BCI	Bureau of Criminal Investigation
BPR	Business Process Reengineering
CAD	Computer-Aided Dispatch
CADD	Computer-Aided Design and Drafting
CCH	Computerized Criminal History
CDSA	Common Data Security Architecture
CJIS	Criminal Justice Information Sharing
COTS	Commercial Off-the-Shelf
DCOM	Distributed Computer Object Model
DDLS	Digitized Drivers License System
DEA	Drug Enforcement Agency (Federal)
DES	Data Encryption Standards
DMZ	Demilitarized Zone
DNS	Domain Name Services
DOCR	Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation
DOCSTARS	Department of Corrections Subject Tracking and Reporting System (Vendor Product Name)
DOJ	Department of Justice (Federal)
DOT	Department of Transportation
DSS	Decision Support Systems
EDI	Electronic Data Interchange
EDMS	Electronic Document Management System

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EMS	Emergency Management Service
ERWIN	Vendor Product Name
FBI	Federal Bureau of Investigation
FTE	Full-Time Equivalent
FTP	File Transfer Protocol
GIF	Graphic Interchange Format
GIS	Geographic Information System
GUI	Graphical User Interface
HIDTA	High-Intensity Drug Trafficking Area
HTML	Hypertext Markup Language
HTTP	Hypertext Transfer Protocol
IAFIS	Integrated Automated Fingerprint Identification System
IBR	Incident-Based Reporting
ID	Identifier or Identification
IP	Internet Protocol
IS	Information System
ISDN	Integrated Services Digital Network
ISO	International Standards Organization
IT	Information Technology
ITD	Information Technology Department
JMS	Jail Management System
LAN	Local Area Network
LDAP	Lightweight Directory Access Protocol
LEO	Law Enforcement Officer
LERMS	Law Enforcement Records Management System
MDC	Mobile Data Computer
MDT	Mobile Data Terminal
MOCIC	Mid-States Organized Crime Information Center
NCIC	National Crime Information Center
NDACO	North Dakota Association of Counties
NDAG	North Dakota Office of the Attorney General

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NDHP	North Dakota Highway Patrol
NDLETS	North Dakota Law Enforcement Teletype System
NFIRS-FM	National Fire Information Reporting System – Fire Marshall
NGA	National Governors’ Association
NIBRS	National Incident-Based Reporting System
NIST	National Institute of Standards and Technology
NIST-CSL	National Institute of Standards and Technology – Computer Systems Laboratory
NLETS	National Law Enforcement Telecommunications System
OLAP	On-Line Analytical Processing
PDF	Portable Document Format
PSI	Presentence Investigation
RFP	Request for Proposal
RMS	Records Management System
SAMS	State’s Attorney Management System
SCDS	Supreme Court Docket System
SEARCH	The National Consortium for Justice Information and Statistics (http://www.search.org)
SID	State Identification Number
SNA	Systems Network Architecture
SOAP	Simple Object Access Protocol
SQL	Structured Query Language
SYSCON	Vendor Name
TCP/IP	Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol
TDEA	Traffic Data Editing and Analysis
UCIS	Unified Court Information System
UCR	Uniform Crime Reporting
VLAN	Virtual Local Area Network
VRM	Vehicle Radio Modem
VTRS	Vehicle Titling and Registration System
WAN	Wide Area Network
XML	Extensible Markup Language